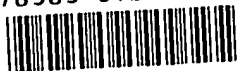


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Transmitted herewith for filing are the specification and  
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David G. Bird \_\_\_\_\_ for  
Inventor(s)

LOCATION OF MISSING VEHICLES

Title of Invention

Also enclosed are:

  X     4   sheet(s) of   X   informal \_\_\_\_\_ formal drawings.

  X   Oath or declaration of Applicant(s) (signed).

  X   A power of attorney (signed).

\_\_\_\_\_ An assignment of the invention to (owner of record:  
Trimble Navigation, Ltd.)

\_\_\_\_\_ A Preliminary Amendment

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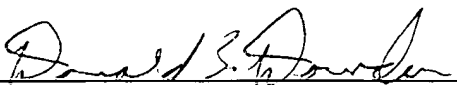
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Respectfully submitted,

  
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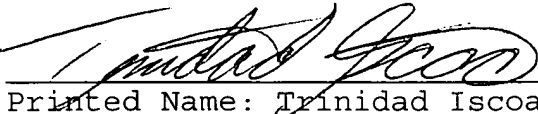
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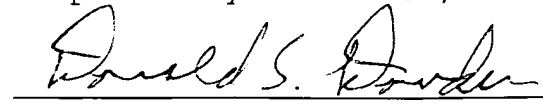
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ORDER FOR TITLE REPORT

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SIR:

Please perform a search of the assignment records and prepare an abstract of title and certification and place such abstract and certification in the reissue file of the accompanying reissue application.

Please charge the \$25.00 fee required by the herein requested search under 37 C.F.R. 19(b)(4) to our deposit account No. 03-3125. Please charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to our deposit account No. 03-3125. A copy of this

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CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE TO REISSUE,  
OFFER OF SURRENDER OF LETTERS PATENT,  
REVOCATION OF POWER OF ATTORNEY AND  
APPOINTMENT OF NEW ATTORNEYS

Trimble Navigation Limited, the Assignee of record of the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-identified application by virtue of an assignment recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on January 5, 1996, at Reel 7786, Frame 0480, hereby revokes all powers of attorney previously granted and appoints the following attorneys: William E. Pelton, Reg. No. 25,702; Donald S. Dowden, Reg. No. 20,701; Jay H. Maioli, Reg. No. 27,213; Peter J. Philips, Reg. No. 29,691; Robert D. Katz, Reg. No. 30,141; Gerald W. Griffin, Reg. No. 18,886; Ivan S. Kavrukov, Reg. No. 25,161; Thomas F. Moran, Reg. No. 16,579; Christopher C. Dunham, Reg. No. 22,031; Norman H. Zivin, Reg. No. 25,385; John P. White, Reg. No. 28,678; and Thomas G. Carulli, Reg. No. 30,616; and each of them, all c/o Cooper & Dunham LLP of 1185 Avenue of the Americas, New York, New York 10036 (Tel. 212-278-0400), each with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to receive the patent, to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and to file any international applications which are based thereon.

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to act on behalf of the Assignee.

The undersigned has reviewed the chain of Title in and to said patent No. 5,418,537 and hereby certifies that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, Trimble Navigation Limited has title to said patent and the subject application for reissue.

The Assignee hereby consents to the filing of the subject application for reissue of said patent No. 5,418,537 and offers to surrender said patent No. 5,418,537 as condition of said reissue.

The undersigned hereby declares that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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REQUEST FOR TRANSFER OF DRAWINGS

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SIR:

It is requested that the originals of the drawings be  
transferred from the file of U.S. patent No. 5,418,537 to the  
present reissue application to constitute the formal drawings  
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